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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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H. F. No. **2281**

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The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Government Operations
- 03/17/2014 Adoption of Report: Re-referred to the Committee on Public Safety Finance and Policy
- 03/24/2014 Adoption of Report: Re-referred to the Committee on Civil Law

1.1 A bill for an act  
 1.2 relating to public safety; specifying that driving while impaired constitutes a  
 1.3 breach of the peace for purposes of the Constitution; proposing coding for new  
 1.4 law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 169A.

1.5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

1.6 Section 1. **[169A.79] BREACH OF THE PEACE.**

1.7 A violation of sections 169A.20 to 169A.27 constitutes a breach of the peace for  
 1.8 purposes of the Minnesota Constitution, article IV, section 10.

1.9 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective August 1, 2014, and applies to  
 1.10 offenses committed on or after that date.